

Semi-Weekly Interior Journal.

VOLUME X.—NUMBER 510.

STANFORD, KY., TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1883.

NEW SERIES—NUMBER 166.

Semi-Weekly Interior Journal

W. P. WALTON, — Editor and Proprietor

Published Tuesdays and Fridays,

— AT —

\$2.50 PER ANNUM.

Please don't send stamp in payment of subscription, except to make change, and then of de-nominations not over three cents.

A REMARKABLE EXECUTION.

The dismal rain beat against the window of the court-house, says the New York Star, and swept in sheets across the jail-yard. Court was adjourned for the day, the clerks had gone home, and a band of officials gathered in the grand jury-room for a half hour of chat. But the flow of conversation was less free and jovial than common. Apparently the depressing aspect of things without had affected the spirits of the county magistrates. The usually smiling face of the sheriff wore a sad expression, and the jolly Surrogate gazed mournfully out upon the cheerless, muddy street. Upon the benign visage of the County Judge was a melancholy look, as if in his official capacity he had sentenced himself as a private individual to suffer the extreme penalty of the law. Tilted back in a big arm-chair, the foreman of the grand jury thoughtfully cleaned his finger nails. A long silence was broken by the sheriff, who observed, as a sudden gust of wind dashed the rain noisily against the glass:

"What a day for a hanging!"

"Wretched!" replied the Surrogate, carefully turning the leaves of the Provincial Code. "I wouldn't be hanged on a day like this for any consideration."

"A fellow would catch his death of cold," put in the foreman of the grand jury. "What put the subject of hanging in your head, sheriff?"

"Oh, I was just thinking of a poor fellow who exonerated a murderer in Iowa ten years ago on just such a day as this."

"Another of your Western yarns, oh, sheriff?" said the Surrogate, with a yawn. "Why will a man always draw a long bow when he tells what happened to him out West?"

"This is gospel truth," retorted the sheriff, quickly, "and it's nothing that happened to me, or I should not be here to tell it. Moreover, Mr. Surrogate, I never exaggerate."

"Oh, no," was the sarcastic rejoinder.

"Never mind him," said the foreman of the grand jury, "go on with your story."

The sheriff seated himself on a green covered table and began:

"Well, as I said, this happened ten years ago, way out in Iowa. A fellow killed his brother-in-law and was sentenced to death. The hanging was public, the gallows being erected on the open prairie a little distance behind the jail. I was sworn in as special deputy. Holy Moses, how it did rain on that day. The water came down in chunks with sufficient force to tear an umbrella to tatters in fifteen minutes."

"Sheriff, sheriff," murmured the County Judge in a tone of gentle reproach.

"Oh, it's a fact. The condemned man was carried to the place of execution in an open cart. Another deputy and I rode with him. A hanging was too rare a treat to be missed by people out there, no matter what the weather was. Shivering and wet, a large crowd stood by the coarse, saturated grass about the scaffold. We placed our man under the cross piece and fastened the rope about his neck. Everything was ready except the last prayer and letting the trap fall. The sheriff asked the prisoner if he had anything to say. 'Yes' said the man. He made a long speech, declaring his innocence, abusing the Judge, and that kind of thing. Suddenly he stopped in the middle of a sentence. All this time, you must remember, the rain was falling in torrents. Seeing the doomed man silent, the sheriff tipped a wink to the clergyman, who, being a Baptist, did not mind the rain. The Reverend gentleman began to pray. We all bent our heads, although no one was plios enough to take his hat off. Just as Brother Hardshell was winding up his petition, we heard a cry of astonishment from the crowd. I looked up, and what do you think I saw?"

"The prisoner escaping?" asked the Sheriff.

"No, sir, he was hanging two feet from the platform."

"What?" cried the sheriff's auditors, together.

"It is a fact, gentlemen. The rain had shrunk the rope enough to hang our man for us."

"Oh, different ways. I began practicing on my brother. He hadn't any beard and the first time I shaved him he looked as though a cyclone had struck him. His face was cut in a dozen places and for a week he had to sleep on his back. After I had laid him up I practiced on my young man. I didn't lather his face and when I got through with him and when he looked in the glass he got mad and said I was a devil of a barber, any way, and he went out of the house and never came back again. I kept on practicing, though, and by the time I was able to shave without slicing a man, I had used up my father and my other brother and two cats and a straight-haired dog, besides another young man and two young fellows who used to wait on my sister Jennie."

"That is certainly a remarkable story," said the County Judge, "but I know one at least equally strange."

"That's right, Judge," replied the Surrogate. "Never let it be said that any man in the country can outlive you. Let's hear your tale."

"The scene of my story is also located in the great West."

"Of course," said the Surrogate.

"You may never have heard of San Jacinto Canon, in Colorado. Its rocky walls are almost perpendicular and are 600 feet high. The canon is at no point more than an eighth of a mile wide. Through it runs a beautiful stream, the water of which is clear as crystal. The stream has its source in the canon, and runs through it for a distance of a mile and a half. Then it suddenly disappears in the earth, to break out again at a point thirty miles below. A small, lazy, dirty tribe of Indians occupies part of the country along the canon. They are as low and degraded a set I ever saw. Have no firearms, won't be converted to Christianity, and don't know good whisky from stair-rod polish. What little work is done in the tribe the women perform. Well, one day about two years ago a squaw started out to get some trout for her own and her husband's breakfast. These Indians catch trout by diving for them in the stream I have mentioned. The woman jumped into the beautiful peluid water, down, down—"

Hero the County Judge stooped.

"Well, why don't you go on?" inquired the sheriff.

"That squaw's husband waited long for his breakfast, and it came not," continued his Honor, dreamily. "At last, desperate with hunger, he laid violent hands upon a ham sandwich which he had captured several days before in the wreck of a railroad train many miles away. Morning glided into afternoon, and afternoon into evening, but the squaw returned not."

"Has she got back yet?" interrogated the foreman of the grand jury.

"Because it's nearly supper time, and we can't wait for her much longer."

"Nine minutes after that woman dived for the trout she burst upon the vision of an astonished fisherman thirty miles below the point where she entered the water. She had been carried into the subterranean current of the river. When she came out she had a big trout in each hand."

The sheriff's feet came emphatically to the floor. The Surrogate said: "I've heard enough," put on his overcoat and walked out. He was followed by the foreman of the grand jury and the sheriff, who observed that the rain was abating and it was a good time to dodge home between the drops.

"Cross-Eyed Girl at School.—Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

GIRL BARBERS IN CHICAGO.—How did the girls learn to shave men?"

"Oh, different ways. I began practicing on my brother. He hadn't any beard and the first time I shaved him he looked as though a cyclone had struck him. His face was cut in a dozen places and for a week he had to sleep on his back. After I had laid him up I practiced on my young man. I didn't lather his face and when I got through with him and when he looked in the glass he got mad and said I was a devil of a barber, any way, and he went out of the house and never came back again. I kept on practicing, though, and by the time I was able to shave without slicing a man, I had used up my father and my other brother and two cats and a straight-haired dog, besides another young man and two young fellows who used to wait on my sister Jennie."

"That is certainly a remarkable story," said the County Judge, "but I know one at least equally strange."

"That's right, Judge," replied the Surrogate. "Never let it be said that any man in the country can outlive you. Let's hear your tale."

"The scene of my story is also located in the great West."

"Of course," said the Surrogate.

"You may never have heard of San Jacinto Canon, in Colorado. Its rocky walls are almost perpendicular and are 600 feet high. The canon is at no point more than an eighth of a mile wide. Through it runs a beautiful stream, the water of which is clear as crystal. The stream has its source in the canon, and runs through it for a distance of a mile and a half. Then it suddenly disappears in the earth, to break out again at a point thirty miles below. A small, lazy, dirty tribe of Indians occupies part of the country along the canon. They are as low and degraded a set I ever saw. Have no firearms, won't be converted to Christianity, and don't know good whisky from stair-rod polish. What little work is done in the tribe the women perform. Well, one day about two years ago a squaw started out to get some trout for her own and her husband's breakfast. These Indians catch trout by diving for them in the stream I have mentioned. The woman jumped into the beautiful peluid water, down, down—"

Hero the County Judge stooped.

"Well, why don't you go on?" inquired the sheriff.

"That squaw's husband waited long for his breakfast, and it came not," continued his Honor, dreamily. "At last, desperate with hunger, he laid violent hands upon a ham sandwich which he had captured several days before in the wreck of a railroad train many miles away. Morning glided into afternoon, and afternoon into evening, but the squaw returned not."

"Has she got back yet?" interrogated the foreman of the grand jury.

"Because it's nearly supper time, and we can't wait for her much longer."

"Nine minutes after that woman dived for the trout she burst upon the vision of an astonished fisherman thirty miles below the point where she entered the water. She had been carried into the subterranean current of the river. When she came out she had a big trout in each hand."

The sheriff's feet came emphatically to the floor. The Surrogate said:

"I've heard enough," put on his overcoat and walked out.

He was followed by the foreman of the grand jury and the sheriff, who observed that the rain was abating and it was a good time to dodge home between the drops.

"Cross-Eyed Girl at School.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman rose fiercely. "Hannah Jane squints, if that's what you're driving at," she said indignantly;

"but she's got sense enough to say what she means, and I won't leave her here to be made a fool of!" and she donned out with her offspring, while the teacher explained to the school that equine meant a convexity of the lens of the optic organs."

CROSS-EYED GIRL AT SCHOOL.—

"Are the internal recti of your daughter's eyes of exactly similar strength?" asked a Boston schoolmarm of a pupil's mother. "I mean," she continued, as she saw a look of vague wonder overspreading the face of the woman, who had never heard of Concord, "are both eyes equally hyperopic, or has she used the ciliary too much?"

The woman

Semi-Weekly Interior Journal

STANFORD, KY.

Tuesday Morning, - July 24, 1883

W. P. WALTON, EDITOR

THE Cincinnati News Journal has dispatch from Washington, which, if true, ought to make Logan McKee go into his hole and draw it in after him.

It is to the effect that desiring to call on the president he got Phil Thompson to go with him. At their first visit he put was off till a later hour and at last when they got permission to enter into his august presence, Mr. Arthur came forward and shook hands with Thompson, but entirely ignored McKee. But we will let the N. J. tell the story: "Mr. President," said Thompson, "let me introduce you to one of my respected constituents, Mr. Logan McKee." The president made the most of his six feet, snuffed the air audibly, jumped over the cuspidore before he recovered himself and finally conquered his equilibrium by locking his hands behind his back. "I refuse to take this man's hand, sir," he sputtered. "His face is as familiar to me as the front of the White House. Mr. Swope has not resigned. He has a right to resign. Who dares to question that right? I know this man McKee. He has been before me fifty or sixty times asking for place and I say he has no right to ask it when Swope has not resigned. Swope is a fixed quantity and he will remain where he is." Here Mr. McKee attempted to say that he was not an applicant for Swope's place, when the president broke out in a violent query, "What was he there for?" Phil. Thompson, seeing that there might be trouble, said, "Mr. President, we will not occupy your time any further." "Very well, sir," said the president, as he walked into an adjoining room, where Mr. Thompson says he heard unmistakable evidences that wassail and wine were the congenial companions in whose bosom Arthur sought refuge." That was pretty bad treatment to be sure. Perhaps Mr. Arthur will find out yet that McKee is a bigger man than he supposed in viewing his stature.

THE Louisville Commercial, which tries never so hard, can not throw off its old republican predilections, albeit it claims to be an independent paper, and in the present campaign is putting in its best licks for the republican ticket. It dislikes above all things to see Col. Morrow's resolution introduced in the State Senate in 1866, in regard to negro suffrage, paraded before the public, because it knows that sensible colored people will refuse to support a man, who several years after their freedom, wished to forbid them the proud prerogative of the American citizen and by taxing them without allowing representation, keep them in even worse bondage than before. But it does act on the Commercial like a red rag shaken in the face of a bull, we can not refrain from again presenting it to the public, and for the sake of emphasis we employ the beautiful italic:

Resolved, That the Congress of the United States has no power, under the second section of the thirteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States, to pass any law granting the right of suffrage in the States to persons of African descent, and that we are opposed to granting suffrage to persons of that class by the State.

THE New York Sun is being charged with hating Garfield living and continuing to hate him dead, says, "We never hated him and do not hate him now. We always were sorry for Garfield; sorry that he perverted his life and his talents to such deplorable uses; sorry that when he was confronted by the evidence of his Credit Mobilier corruption, he did not face the truth like a man, but instead he sought refuge in lies and perjury; sorry that his whole career was stained with such varied delinquencies; sorry that, while in him the talking faculty was so voluble, the faculty of honesty and truthfulness was so feeble and so faint. What hatred could be possible toward such a character? What hatred is possible now? It is a sad and painful history and we grieve over its wretchedness. Yet, to leave it in silence is not allowed us. When this great army of Pecksniffs and pretenders set themselves up to falsify history and to paint off this man upon the future as a hero and a saint, must not the simple fact be reviled in its own vindication?"

AFTER five weeks of balloting for Senator in New Hampshire without result, the Legislature has concluded to take a rest for a few days. In the meantime, it is to be hoped that those who have been voting for Secretary Chandler will see the error of their way and give the old cue the grand bounce. It is time the manipulators of the Hayes fraud in 1876, were relegated to oblivion.

In less than two weeks comes the August election and the question arises, "are the democrats sufficiently organized to poll their full strength?" We are afraid that in many cases they are not, but it is still time to go to work so as to accomplish that end. It is true this is what is known as an off year and many will say our ticket will be elected any way, and consequently fail to vote, but there is a great deal more importance attaching to this election than a casual thinker would believe. The eyes of the whole people of the United States are upon us and should our hitherto big majority be reduced by apathy in the ranks, the republicans every where will hail it with delight and use it as evidence that the democratic stronghold is weakening. On the other hand the usual or an increased majority will give encouragement to our brethren in other States and cause the weak kneed to stiffen their joints. The republicans may always be depended upon to cast their fullest strength and this time they are making unusual efforts to augment their scattered forces. Morrow's only show for Federal office is in increasing his party vote, for should it fall below the last figures the administration will decide at once that he is entirely too small a potato to grow much in his favor. The democracy can easily elect Proctor Knott by 50,000 as by 40,000 and if every man will waltz to the music of a manifesto duty, his majority will exceed even the greater figure. We therefore call upon the committees and sub committees of the various counties to go to work while it is called to-day and organize for the grand results.

THE great telegraph operators' strike continues with but little show of an early adjustment of the differences between the companies and strikers. So far enough operators have been secured outside of the brotherhood to nearly keep up with the business and the strike is in consequence, not so disastrous to business and other affairs as it might be. We believe that in the first place the operators demanded too much. They had grievances and great ones but they should have been a little more moderate and perhaps the trouble would have been averted. So far they have conducted themselves with great order and decorum and so long as they use no violence and resort to no unlawful means to secure their demands, public sentiment will be in their favor. It is the right of every American citizen to quit work when he thinks that the consideration for his services is inadequate, but when he wont work himself nor allow others to do so, he goes a little further than he has the right and further than he will be sustained by the public. It seems like a compromise could easily be effected, if either party showed a disposition and we trust for the sake of all concerned that it will be speedily made.

THE State Central Committee urges upon the County Committees the importance of providing each voting place in their jurisdiction with printed tickets containing both the names of our State ticket and the nominees for the Legislature. These tickets can be procured for a mere song and as the Committee says "experience shows that at each general election many persons, from inadvertence, vote for the local candidates alone, who would, with such tickets provided, vote also for the State ticket. A general compliance with this suggestion we estimate will make a difference of 15,000 or 20,000 votes in our favor."

WHEN we commenced to publish Mr. Barnes' interesting and valuable letters from the old world, we announced that papers reproducing them without credit, would have no further opportunity of doing so as we would immediately strike them from our exchange list. In conformity with that announcement we have "dropped" several and will continue to do so as occasion presents itself. It was a reasonable demand to make and the paper is to the right of man to grant it, is much too mean for journalistic favor.

TOM THUMB gave no tree exhibition of himself during life but in death the crowd which ever stands ready to attend a freak show, were accommodated. His remains, it is said, were viewed by fully 10,000 people, not half of whom would have gone had the admission been even ten cents.

SMOKERS who expected to pay less for their cigars when the reduction of the tax on cigars went into effect are disappointed. Their smoke after dinner is just as expensive as when the old tax was levied. The reduction of tax from \$6 to \$3 a thousand has only affected the wholesale price.

Mrs. LANGTRY sailed for England yesterday with \$100,000 of American money, levied from us for a look at beauty, which does not come under the head of "pretty is as pretty does" judging by the scandalous manner in which she has acted with Freddie Gibhardt.

The rage for carrying pistols has gone so far in Tennessee that the fiery youth of that State appear to bring their weapons with them when they go into the water to swim. At least a dispatch says that in a quarrel between Elijah Hayes and Ruff McConnell, "while in swimming, McConnell drew a pistol and fatally shot Hayes."

THE Virginia republicans have made ex-Congressman Deesendorf chairman of the State Central Committee, and in convention assembled denounced Arthur for following the lead of Mahone and adopted a resolution declaring for Blaine for president. There is going to be fun in the Old Dominion in the next campaign.

NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

Sam Bulger, the negro rapist will be tried at Mayville, Sept. 1st.

The residence of Judge John D. Holden, at Lebanon, was burned a few days ago.

Coal is being sold in Lexington for 9 cents, delivered to consumers, the lowest figure ever reached.

Mr. H. C. Haasberger, of Jessamine county, has taken 6,000 pounds of honey from his own bees this season.

The jury in the Polk case for stealing the funds of Tennessee to the amount of \$100,000 will wrestle with its solution to-day.

Jim Jones stabbed Bill Smith twice at Lexington, dangerously, because he asked the return of the 50 cents he had loaned him.

The Fourth battalion of the Kentucky State Guard, Maj. H. H. Crump commanding, is encamped at Camp Proctor Knott, Grayson Springs.

The 17th annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic is being held this week at Denver. Fully 20,000 old veterans will be present.

Roland Swain, arrested for stealing a ledger from the State-house at Nashville, stated in court that he did so at the instance of M. T. Polk, from whom he received \$175.

P. M. General Gresham caught two of his department clerks indulging in speculate and other specious business and immediately discharged them. He was getting \$1,500 per year and she \$1,200.

The Cincinnati Enquirer has found a young woman in Ohio who has feel 18 inches long, 8 inches wide and 191 inches around the instep. The girl's name is Fannie Mills and she weighs but 109 pounds.

The signal of the Brotherhood of Telegraphers sent from New York, directing the strike, was, "Clem. Grant dropped dead." On its reception every member of the Brotherhood left his key, and the strike was begun.

The Kentucky Central has received a new freight locomotive from the works at Schenectady, N. Y. It has eight driving wheels, and is the largest ever brought to this section, weighing fifty-three tons.—Lexington Press.

The Kentucky Association at Lexington has leased its course to C. F. Simonds, of the Phoenix Hotel, for a term of 6 years, the consideration being \$13,000. Simonds, by an act of Legislature, already controlled the pooling privilege.

John L. Heckler, for five years past Supreme Treasurer of the order of Catholic Knights of America, defeated for re-election last May, has sailed for Europe. His accounts are short for variously estimated sums ranging from \$2,000 to \$60,000.

The Hoggan got in a good day's work Friday. At Lexington, Ky., Dan Timberlake was hanged for rape; at Memphis, Tenn., Robert Wilson for murder, and at Canton, O., George McMillan for wife murder; with numerous other points to hear from and Judge Lynch yet to report. Timberlake vowed his innocence with his last lingering breath.

"Conf Oil Johny," whose right name was John Williams, the noted bumbo steerer and thief, of Cincinnati, has run in his last victim and the unvary will have cause for rejoicing. He was shot dead while sleeping the arms of a courtesan at Terre Haute by his wife, who had been hunting him for several days.

There will be laughter over the news from Utah that a Mormon Bishop has been arrested for blowing up two of his wife by putting dynamite under their bed. The Bishop has, in any event, given a hint of a new way for abolishing polygamy. Few of the Utah damsels will be anxious to become polygamous wives if they can only do so in the risk of sleeping over dynamite.

During the fiscal year ending June 30 this nation received from other countries 599,114 immigrants, a decrease of 189,878 over the returns for 1882 and of 70,317 over those for 1881. A part of this decrease—nearly 40,000 of it—must be attributed to the enforcement of the law against Chinese immigration, which has resulted in shutting off nearly the whole number of persons coming from Asia.

Gen. Morgan's daughter has written to the Secretary of the Morgan Reunion Association in reply to an invitation as follows: "I will give my great pleasure to be present on the occasion of the reunion of the gallant and distinguished men who were led by my dear father and who shared with him the perils of war. His friends are dear to me, and meeting so many of them on this occasion, will be an event in my life filled with indescribable emotions and forever to be remembered."

The Chesapeake & Ohio's earning for June were \$326,023 which is \$55,143 more than for the same month last year. Since January 1 the earnings have been \$1,759,530 an increase of 284 per cent, as compared with the first 6 months of 1882. The company has made arrangements with an English steamship company for direct communication between its eastern terminus at Newport News and Liverpool. The first steamer will sail from the former port September 1. Subsequent sailings will be governed by the amount of freight offered by the company, except that one steamer will sail every month.

SMOKERS who expected to pay less for their cigars when the reduction of the tax on cigars went into effect are disappointed. Their smoke after dinner is just as expensive as when the old tax was levied. The reduction of tax from \$6 to \$3 a thousand has only affected the wholesale price.

Mrs. LANGTRY sailed for England yesterday with \$100,000 of American money, levied from us for a look at beauty, which does not come under the head of "pretty is as pretty does" judging by the scandalous manner in which she has acted with Freddie Gibhardt.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

Logan & Ingles' short-horn, 74 in number, aggregated \$9,210.

Sam Owens sold to W. L. Williams a two-year-old Mambrino gelding for \$750.

John Bright shipped to Lt. E. Miller yesterday a car load of hay at \$14 per ton.

The Lincoln Mills have received 1,000 bushels of wheat for which they paid 95 cents.

For sale at a bargain, a combined Reaper and Mower (Champion), and other farming utensils. P. W. Logan.

—R. H. & P. Woods, of this county, bought the 7th Duke of Gran, 4 years old, Bedford's sale for \$140 and sold to Adam Carpenter, Rosalind 24, 2 years old, for \$25.

—At the sale of McMahon, Green & Powell, railroad contractors on the K. C. & St. Louis, the sale for \$140 and sold to Adam Carpenter, Rosalind 24, 2 years old, for \$25.

—At the sale of McMahon, Green & Powell, railroad contractors on the K. C. & St. Louis, the sale for \$140 and sold to Adam Carpenter, Rosalind 24, 2 years old, for \$25.

—J. H. Swope has purchased a great many lambs in the last few days, at from 45 to 46 cents. Weights ran from 65 to 80 lbs. Dr. J. E. Carson he got 101; G. W. Spangler 50; John Buchanan 50; John Hill 52; Mat Phillips 51; Thomas 144; John Boone 52; T. M. White 40; John Bowley 29, and many other lots.

—Lincoln County.

Hustonville.

—The telephone has not struck yet, but manifests a disposition to strike any one who fails to treat it with becoming reverence.

—Our town authorities are taking vigorous measures to clear our streets of impeded growths and thus make the navigation of our thoroughfares less complicated.

—There is a commendable earnestness on the part of the projectors of the Fair, in their effort to make the enterprise successful. Our people do not permit themselves to be beaten in anything of the kind, and are doing their best on this.

—Dr. Brown was out until 11th hour on Saturday night superintending the erection of a commodious pavilion, or gods, or panamas, for the accommodation of the West End Hop Club and its expected guests. The structure is located in the pleasant little grove in the doctor's beautiful grass lot near his residence. The dandies are anticipating a lively time. Let no reporter, however, telephone or otherwise, make any allusion to the "light fanatics" or "some of our boys, who stand on a broad basis of No. 9 brogues, might consider the thing offensive.

—The corn crop is very promising at present and with a favorable season will be heavy. The wind storm of Monday night, broke a great deal off, but did not materially injure the general yield. Very few of the farmers are threshing their wheat; the majority having stalled in hopes of a better market. The storm alluded to was of the cyclonic order—moving from N. W. to S. E.—it comes from Mrs. Alcorn's on the Hanging Fork, to Mr. Alford's south of Turnerville, is distinctly marked upon the timber. Richard Bibb's house was directly in the line, but escaped serious injury.

—The Danville Advocate is pushing over the exploit of cutting 56 acres of wheat in 4 days by John Craig with one of the latest and most vaunted machines. This is very respectable work for Boyle; but Woods Green, a Lincoln county boy, cut last week 98 acres in 52 days; and that with old McCormick Dropper; a difference of nearly 4 acres per day. One day last week Uriah Dunn and son started in the forenoon 5 miles beyond Waynesburg with 7 mules, two of which they rode; stopped in Hustonville an hour and delivered their stock at Lebanon an hour before sun-down, having made, with a lot of wrong-headed mules, over 50 miles in considerably less than a day.

—The Kentucky Central has received a new freight locomotive from the works at Schenectady, N. Y. It has eight driving wheels, and is the largest ever brought to this section, weighing fifty-three tons.—Lexington Press.

—The Kentucky Association at Lexington has leased its course to C. F. Simonds, of the Phoenix Hotel, for a term of 6 years, the consideration being \$13,000. Simonds, by an act of Legislature, already controlled the pooling privilege.

—The Nicholsville base ball nine have challenged the Lancaster nine to play a match-game at the former place sometime soon. The challenge will be accepted.

—The closing exercises of the colored public school will take place the 27th inst. and will consist of a picnic at Jackman's woods, and a concert at the City Hall at night.

—There was no stock on the market today, (County Court day,) excepting a few plug horses. There was comparatively a small crowd in town, the farmers being busy with their meadows.

—Dr. Louis McMurry, formerly of this place, now of Louisville, is in town. Col. J. H. Bruce and other gentlemen from this county, attended the Short-horn sales in Clark and Fayette counties last week.

—The news reached here this morning that George Coles, who was recently released from jail at this place on bail, had killed a man at Boone's Gap, in Madison county. The particulars of the killing could not be learned.

—Rev. J. R. James, pastor of the Episcopal church at this place, has been granted a month's vacation by his church. He is to be married the 25th inst. to Miss Annie Ware, of Kirkville, and with his bride will visit his parents in Kansas.

Pant Lick.

—There has been several cases of cholera morbus in this vicinity.

—From present indications we will have another assistant in the post office soon.

—Drummers have been as thick for the last two weeks as June bugs in blackberry time.

—The evening train was about four hours late Saturday evening, caused by a land slide on the track.

—Mr. H. Argos has torn down his old house and will commence the erection of a beautiful residence forthwith. His son, William, is superintending it for him.

—Several crops of wheat has been sold in this vicinity at 90 cents per bushel, but the majority of the farmers are holding for better prices. Mr. E. Best and John Smith shipped from this place Saturday evening, four car loads of sheep and cattle to the Covington market.

—Sunday morning George Coles and Dick O'Keefe, employees on the works of Mason & King, at Boone's Gap, got into a difficulty, O'Keefe while under the influence of liquor, drew his pistol on Coles and attempted to shoot, but he (C) being a hit-to-kill, drew his and shot O'Keefe three times, killing him dead.

—John Bright shipped to Lt. E. Miller yesterday a car load of hay at \$14 per ton.

—The Lincoln Mills have received 1,000 bushels of wheat for which they paid 95 cents.

—For sale at a bargain, a combined Reaper and Mower (Champion), and other farming utensils. P. W. Logan.

—R. H. & P. Woods, of this county, bought the 7th Duke of Gran, 4 years old, Bedford's sale for \$140 and sold to Adam Carpenter

Semi-Weekly Interior Journal

STANFORD, KY.

Tuesday Morning, - July 24, 1883

NOTICE.

The date printed with your name on the label shows the time to which your subscription has been paid. If it does not read July 24, '83, or some future date, you are in arrears and would confer a favor by forwarding the money for another year's subscription. We must establish the cash-in-advance system.

I. & N. LOCAL TIME CARD.

Mail train going North	10:05 A.M.
" " South	2:00 P.M.
Express train" South	1:01 A.M.
" " North	2:05 A.M.

LOCAL NOTICES.

BUY PAINTS of Penny & McAlister. Nice stock of birthday cards at Penny & McAlister's.

STANFORD ready mixed paints at McRoberts & Stagg's.

Jos. Haas Hug Chocolates. Penny & McAlister sole agents.

WATCHES, Clocks and Jewelry repaired and warranted by Penny & McAlister.

Given up that McRoberts & Stagg make the best Soda Water in the world. Try it.

MACHINE OIL, which will neither heat nor gum, 60 cents per gallon. Also extra strained lard oil at McRoberts & Stagg's.

LOST POCKET BOOK.—Tuesday week last at the time of runaway accident to J. S. Murphy, a lady's morocco pocket-book, containing a small gold neck-chain with gold dollar bangle; also some change, among which was a nickel with the 5 cent. Any one returning the same will be liberally rewarded. L. C. Murphy.

PERSONAL.

—Miss CLARA ELLIUM has gone to Georgetown, to visit friends.

—Miss GEORGE BRIGHT, of Emboeira, is visiting Miss Louisa James.

—Miss MARY PORTER, of Harrodsburg, is visiting Miss Mattie Paxton.

CAPT. H. T. HUSK, wife and children have gone to Clark county to visit relatives.

—S. T. GRIMES, Esq., of Cuero, Texas, is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

—HARRY H. BLISS, of Memphis, Tenn., is the guest of the family of Mr. H. T. Harris.

—MEMRS. James T. Craig and George McAlister left Saturday for a season at Cumberland Falls.

—Mrs. W. M. McAfee, nee Miss Maggie Crow, of Missouri, is on a visit to her father, Mr. James Crow.

—Miss MARY and LITTLE DUKE, a pair of handsome Danville ladies, are the guests of Mrs. J. P. Baller.

—Miss JENNA ROBERTS, of Harrodsburg, arrived yesterday and is the guest of Mr. D. R. Montgomery.

—ELIA H. H. KING, who has suffered so long, is rapidly declining and his death is expected at almost any time.

—Mr. ASHER OWLEY who has been confined to his house for several months, was reported very much worse last night.

—DR. J. F. PENTON, Misses Annie and Mary Brown, Sabra Pennington and J. W. Hayden left for Rockcastle Springs yesterday.

—Mr. J. P. MCKINNEY, of Louisville, and Mrs. J. I. McKinney, of Richmond, were the guests of Capt. and Mrs. Geo. II. McKinney Sunday.

—Although suffering from a severe cold Sunday Dr. Cox preached an excellent sermon Sunday morning. At night, however, he was unable to appear.

—DR. AND MRS. WYATT L. LETCHER, of Covington, arrived at Mr. Forrest Reid's, Saturday. The Dr. returned yesterday, Mrs. Letcher will remain sometime.

—Mr. H. C. VENABLE and his pretty young wife, of Elizabethtown, were here Saturday on route home. Mr. Venable is an old Virginian; at present an engineer on the K. C. R. R.

—Mr. J. J. BROOKS, of the Park Theatre, Richmond, was here Friday to attend the meeting of theatrical managers, which was to have been held here but which had been previously postponed.

—Mr. H. B. JENKS, a prominent official in the P. O. Department, and one of the most obliging of gentlemen, was here a few days ago, looking after the irregularities in the transmission of the INTERIOR JOURNALS and we are in hope that the trouble hereafter will be remedied. He assured us that it was his intention to give us, until by the night express train no soon as the necessary arrangements could be effected, which will be of great convenience to our citizens. It will not take three days to get an answer from Louisville as at present.

LOCAL MATTERS.

CIDER MILLS at Bright & Curran's.

FRUIT JARS and CANS at Bruce, Warren & Co's.

TWELVE pounds pure berry sugar for \$1. Bright & Curran.

CRAB ORCHARD SHIRES is filling up rapidly, the guests now reported to number over 300.

We have the largest stock of fruit jars in town and can give you special low figures. Bright & Curran.

TURB. Booth privileges of the Danville Fair have been secured by S. S. Myers and Jos. F. Waters, of this place.

The Danville Fair, which is always a successful exhibition, will commence Aug. 7th and continue 4 days. The premiums are many and very liberal.

The law in regard to taking the vote for calling a Constitutional Convention is published in this issue. Read it and don't forget to vote in the affirmative, when election day comes.

HAIL'S WELL.—The Proprietor, Mr. Jas. M. Smith, has secured the services of Mr. Enoch, of Lebanon, as house keeper of his pleasant little resort and invites the public to give him a call, assuring them that he is fully prepared to entertain in the best of style.

GERMAN MILLER at bottom figures Bright & Curran.

OMNIBUS tickets to the K. C. depot for sale at McRoberts & Stagg's.

FOR SALE.—A handsome residence, Will sell very cheap. W. Craig, Stanford, a

CAL. and see the new patent foot rests for rocking chairs, the most delightful thing out. H. K. Warren.

YOUR account is now ready for you. Please call and settle at your earliest convenience, as I need the money. H. C. Bright.

TURN OUT all ye democrat, and republians too, to hear Hon. J. Proctor Knott's speech at Stanford, Thursday afternoon next.

Turn, letting of the grading and masonry of the new streets will be on the 25th of August and not the 20th as the advertisement had it last week.

Turn, indebted to me will confer a favor by calling and settling their accounts, I need the money and trust this little request will be heeded. H. C. Kupley.

SUNDAY was the hottest day experienced here this year, though the mercury didn't go higher than 95°. But thermometer lie like tombstones, for me two of them ever tell the same tale.

Turn, will not take postage stamp in payment of subscription. Do not send them to me. Paper money is as safe to send in a letter. We have more stamp now than we can use in a year.

We have secured the services of R. S. Draper, a competent miller from Ohio, and will commence grinding to day. Machinery and every thing in first-class order and we guarantee the best of flour. Will buy all the good wheat in this section. McAlister, Salles & Co.

FROZEN SNAKE.—Urbia Bright found a snake frozen as stiff as a poker between the layers of ice in his father's ice house the other day. It was some four feet long, as large as a woman's wrist, and had no doubt crawled in to get cool, when he got more than he bargained for.

Turn, Cumberland Falls Hotel, kept by Mr. S. Owens, is the most pleasant place the mountains to spend the summer, either for the invalid or pleasure seeker. Its mineral waters are fine, the fishing and hunting good, the boating nice and the cuisine just splendid. Stages meet the daily trains on the C. S. R. and take you to the Falls for supper.

DURING the continuance of the Southern Exposition, at Louisville, Ky., (commencing August 1st, and continuing 100 days), the Louisville & Nashville Railroad will sell Excursion Tickets from any of its stations to Louisville at one fara for the round trip. These Tickets will be on sale every day, from L. N. & N. stations and will good 15 days, allowing ample time to visit the Grand Exposition, etc., held in the South, and second only to the Cannibal at Philadelphia.

—PRAISE THE LORD.

—We are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

BRO. BARNES IN SCOTLAND.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

—WE are authorized to announce M. J. Cook as the republican candidate to represent Laurel and Rockcastle counties in the next Legislature. August election 8-1.

